

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Attached hereto are three (3) sheets of corrected drawings that comply with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The corrected drawings incorporate the following drawing changes:

In Fig. 1, "140" and "120" have been changed respectively to --120-- and --140--; and

Fig. 3 has been separately labeled as --Fig. 3(a)-- and --Fig. 3(b)--, and " θ "s in Fig. 3(b) were corrected to be consistent with the specification.

These changes are made to be consistent with the specification and do not add new matter.

It is respectfully requested that the corrected drawings be approved and made a part of the record of the above-identified application.

Remarks

Claims 1-16 are pending in the present application. All of the claims remain allowed or allowable over the prior art of record as indicated by the Examiner.

The specification has been revised slightly only to correct minor typographical errors. Figures 1 and 3 are corrected to provide consistency with the original specification and to improve form according to U.S. practice. These modifications do not add new matter to the disclosure.

Initialed PTO-1449 Needed

The Examiner is respectfully requested to return the initialed PTO-1449 filed with the Information Disclosure Statement on December 15, 2004.

Claim Objection

Claims 1-12 have been objected to because of certain minor informalities as pointed out by the Examiner. Accordingly, these claims have been reviewed and revised to correct these informalities. For instance, the claims were revised as suggested by the Examiner. Claim 1 at line 5 has been changed to --at least one displacement-corrected value-- in view of "the displacement-corrected values" recited in dependent claims 4 and 5. In addition, dependent claim 14 has been amended slightly to correct similar informalities as claim 1 and to improve grammar. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdraw of the objection to the claims are deemed proper and respectfully requested.

Conclusion

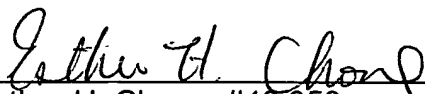
For the foregoing reasons and in view of the above clarifying amendments, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw all of the objections of record, and earnestly solicit an early issuance of a Notice of Allowance.

Should there be any outstanding matters which need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Esther H. Chong (Registration No. 40,953) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and further replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment: Three (3) replacement sheets of drawings depicting Figs. 1, 3(a) and 3(b)